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SUBJECT: SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - NSF REMNANT FUNDS AND
PATENT RIGHTS

REF: A) STATE 31085, B) STATE 10556, C) MEMO CLEMENT TO
GORSEY 5-19-77, D) STATE 79306

1. DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO SPEED UP THE USE OF
THE NSF FUNDS REMAINING UNUTILIZED FROM THE 1970 AGREE-
MENT.

2. LARGEST SINGLE REMAINING ELEMENT IS THE \$396,425
DOLLARS NOW PROGRAMMED FOR EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENT BY
THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE (MES). EMBASSY
NOTE NO. 184, DATED MARCH 15, 1977 GAVE MES UP TO SIX
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MONTHS TO SUBMIT ITS PROPOSAL FOR EQUIPMENT PURCHASES;
WE UNDERSTAND THAT NO RESPONSE FROM MES HAS BEEN RECEIVED.
DEPARTMENT BELIEVES THAT THE SIX MONTHS PERIOD IS EXCESSIVE
AND EMBASSY SHOULD TAKE ACTION TO TRY TO GET MES TO SPEED
UP ACTION ON THIS MATTER.

3. RE PD&C FUND OF \$16,547 DOLLARS (REFB) EMBASSY

SHOULD INFORM SPANISH SIDE THAT AS NSF HAS NO IMMEDIATE PLANS FOR USE, UTILIZATION OF THIS AMOUNT IS A SUBJECT FOR NEGOTIATION BETWEEN GOS AND NSF.

4. IN REGARD TO REDUCTION OF \$12,722 DOLLARS IN NSF FUNDS STILL AVAILABLE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (REF C) THIS REDUCTION WAS DUE TO A) AMENDMENT TO OAK RIDGE NATIONAL RESEARCH LABORATORY GRANT IN AMOUNT OF \$10,000 DOLLARS AND B) TRAVEL OF GARCIA FRADES, DIRECTOR OF CHEMICAL LABORATORY OF MINES OF ALMADEN TO U.S. AND ADJUSTMENTS OF OTHER COSTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES PROJECT - \$2722.

5. REF (D) TRANSMITTED U.S. POSITION ON PATENT RIGHTS UNDER THE S&T PROGRAM. WE ARE IN PROCESS OF DEVELOPING A SOMEWHAT MODIFIED POSITION ON PATENT RIGHTS WHICH WE WILL TRANSMIT TO YOU IN A FEW DAYS. EMBASSY MAY WISH TO NOTIFY FOREIGN MINISTRY MODIFIED POSITION WILL BE FORTHCOMING. VANCE

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